

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Ichio YUDASAKA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2822

Application No.: 09/901,126

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

Filed: July 10, 2001

Docket No.: 040090.02

For: THIN FILM DEVICE PROVIDED WITH COATING FILM, LIQUID CRYSTAL PANEL
AND ELECTRONIC DEVICE, AND METHOD FOR MAKING THE THIN FILM
DEVICE

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the reference(s) listed on the attached PTO-1449. Unless otherwise indicated herein, one copy of each reference is attached. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the reference(s) be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

- ☒ 1. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed (a) within three months of the U.S. filing date of this non-CPA application, OR (b) before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits in the present application. No certification or fee is required.

Respectfully submitted,

James A. Oliff
Registration No. 27,075

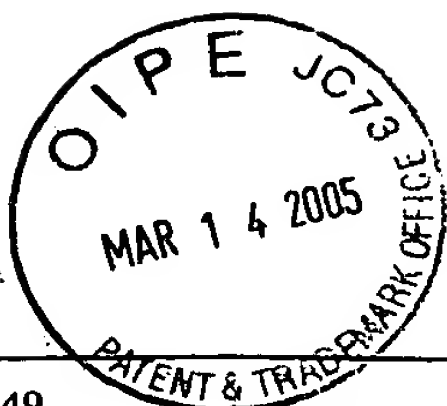
George P. Simion
Registration No. 47,089

JAO:GPS/dmw
Date: August 1, 2003

OLIFF & BERRIDGE, PLC
P.O. Box 19928
Alexandria, Virginia 22320
Telephone: (703) 836-6400

DEPOSIT ACCOUNT USE
AUTHORIZATION

Please grant any extension
necessary for entry;
Charge any fee due to our
Deposit Account No. 15-0461

Sheet 1 of 1

| | | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|---------|---------------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------|--|
| Form PTO-1449 (REV. 8-83) | | US Dept. of Commerce PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE | | ATTY DOCKET NO. 040090.02 | | APPLICATION NO. 09/901,126 | |
| INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (Use several sheets if necessary) | | | | APPLICANT(S) Ichio YUDASAKA et al. | | | |
| | | | | FILING DATE July 10, 2001 | | GROUP 2822 | |
| U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS | | | | | | | |
| EXAMINER INITIAL | | DOCUMENT NUMBER | DATE | NAME | CLASS | SUB CLASS | |
| | | 5,041,190 | 08/1991 | DRAKE et al. | 156 | 647 | |
| | | 5,713,278 | 02/1998 | KAWANO et al. | 101 | 128.4 | |
| | | 5,742,129 | 04/1998 | NAGAYAMA et al. | 315 | 167 | |
| | | 5,771,562 | 06/1998 | HARVEY, III et al. | 29 | 592.1 | |
| | | 5,935,331 | 08/1999 | NAKA et al. | 118 | 319 | |
| | | 5,997,122 | 12/1999 | MORIYAMA et al. | 347 | 11 | |
| | | 6,195,142 B1 | 02/2001 | GYOTOKU et al. | 349 | 69 | |
| | | 6,187,457 B1 | 02/2001 | ARAI et al. | 428 | 690 | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS | | | | | | | |
| | | DOCUMENT NUMBER | DATE | COUNTRY | CLASS | SUB CLASS | |
| | | JP-A-7-235378 (w/ English Language Abstract and Translation) | 5/1995 | Japan | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.) | | | | | | | |
| | | "Electroluminescence in Conjugated Polymers;" R. H. Friend, R. W. Gymer, A. B. Holmes, J. H. Burroughes, R. N. Marks, C. Taliani, D. D. C. Bradley, D. A. Dos Santos, J. L. Bredas, M. Logdlund & W. R. Salaneck; Nature, Vol. 397, 14 January 1999. | | | | | |
| | | Opto-Electronic Properties of Disordered Organic Semiconductors, Proefschrift, Michel Cornelis Josephus Marie Vissnberg, geboren te Sint Maarten in 1972. | | | | | |
| | | Fabrication of Organic Light-Emitting Devices, Jennifer Reinig, Junior Physics/Math Major at Drake University, Physics REU: IA State University, Summer 2001 | | | | | |
| | | The electroluminescence of organic materials; Ullrich Mitschke and Peter Bauerle, Received 2 nd November 1999, Accepted 15 th February 2000, Published on the Web 6 th June 2000. | | | | | |
| EXAMINER | | | | DATE CONSIDERED | | | |
| Examiner: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with M.P.E.P. 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. | | | | | | | |

Date: August 1, 2003



PTO RECEIPT FOR FILING OF PAPERS

► **Mail Room (Regular Delivery)**

The following papers have been filed:

Status Inquiry Letter

Name of Applicant: Ichio YUDASAKA et al.

Serial No.: 09/901,126

Atty. File No.: 040090.02

Title (New Cases): THIN FILM DEVICE PROVIDED WITH COATING FILM, LIQUID CRYSTAL PANEL AND ELECTRONIC DEVICE, AND METHOD FOR MAKING THE THIN FILM DEVICE

Sender's Initials: JAO:GPS/dmw

23/8



PATENT OFFICE DATE STAMP

**COPY TO BE STAMPED BY PATENT OFFICE
AND RETURNED BY MESSENGER**